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TITLE OF INVENTION: METHOD OF INHIBITING INWARD RECTIFIER, G-PROTEIN ACTIVATED, MAMMALIAN, POTASSIUM CHANNELS AND USES THEREOF

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